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THE COURTS.

CIRCUIT COURT.
Montgomery City, first Monday in May and second Monday in November. Danville, 4th Monday in April and first Monday in Nov.

COUNTY COURT.
Montgomery City, first Monday in March, June, September and December. Danville, first Monday in February, May, August and November.

PROBATE COURT.
Montgomery City, third Monday in January, April, July and October. Danville, first Monday in March, June, September and December.

PRESIDENT-ELECT TAFT is becoming so popular in the South that its Democratic solidarity is undergoing a severe strain.

THE Senatorial primary election law having served its purpose in the nomination of Stone, nobody is now interested in it. It will be repealed.

HADLEY'S antipathy to election crooks and lid clubs is so apparent that honest people are ready to give them a swift kick just to please the governor.

MISSOURIANS have never expressed such unbounded faith in a new governor as they have manifested toward Governor Hadley. He is a star of hope.

ONE thing is certain now in Missouri politics—the people can no longer be deceived by old guard Democratic politicians. That crowd must take a back seat.

RAISING extra revenue on the one hand and lopping off unnecessary expenses on the other will free our state treasury from any embarrassment at the close of the next biennial period.

AT THE conclusion of the work of recounting the ballots of the City of St. Louis, Monday night Gmelich has gained 139 votes. The recount will be resumed after the balloting for United States Senator is finished.

GOVERNOR HADLEY has a way of making the truth conspicuous and potent. When he said that the Senatorial primary law was not enacted in good faith he placed Senator Stone and his Democratic friends under an indictment from which they cannot demur. The Senatorial primary law will be repealed and provisions made for nominating candidates for United States Senator at the general primary election.

GOVERNOR DENEEN of Illinois will take a short course in agriculture at Urbana this winter. He wishes to know more about farming, especially how to judge farm grain and live stock. He believes that if he knows what it takes to make a good ear of corn or a good farm animal, he will be better equipped to assist the farmer in acquiring the ideal. It is to be hoped that other governors will follow his example.—*Journal of Agriculture.*

THE right of every citizen to cast one vote and have that one ballot honestly counted is one of the sacred rights of citizenship to which Governor Hadley and the Republicans stand firmly committed. If it becomes necessary to enlarge the penitentiary to take care of the scoundrels, who corrupt the ballot let it be done. No man who is willing to hinder an honest election will ever feel at home until he takes up his abode in a felon's cell.

JOHN KENNISH will be Insurance Commissioner and will be close to Governor Hadley for consultation and assistance when needed. As he is one of the brainiest and purest men in Missouri politics, he is a safe counsellor. With such men as John Kennish, John E. Swanger, Frank Blake and Rush O. Lake at his side our Governor will be well sustained. His appointment of these clean and able men to positions in the executive service, where they will be at home as members of the Governor's official family was timely and wise.

REPRESENTATIVE WM. WILLET, Jr. of New York in his attack on the President in the House last Monday called Roosevelt a "gargoyle," but the House made him take it back. Now what do you think of that, "a gargoyle," that's an awful name, it sounds bad. We thought it must mean something unspeakably mean, whatever it might mean, so we looked it up. The dictionary says "gargoyle" means: "A projecting spout on a building, frequently representing a part of the human figure, or some animal, with the water issuing from the mouth." Well that's bad enough, but it might have been worse. Mr. Roosevelt does talk some.

Our Farmers Need It.

MISSOURI is one of the greatest agricultural States and needs home markets for her produce. It is one of the leading mineral states and one of the foremost manufacturing states. With her mines and industries protected under a reasonable tariff law, they can be developed until the mines and mills and factories will employ enough wage earners to consume the surplus products the farms can put on the markets. In that way protection becomes highly beneficial to the farmers. In fact a tariff which protects industries and guarantees wages to workers is a blessing to all classes. It is strange that men, who can reason and can be rational about other problems affecting our country cannot understand the benefits of our protective tariff system.

Boulder Colorado Letter.

Boulder, Colorado, Jan. 15th, 1909.—After waiting for long years we are gratified to know we have a Republican Governor, one all Missouri can be proud of, not only as a Republican, but one of sterling worth and qualifications. One can realize the love Missouri has for our governor by the ovation tendered him at the inauguration. My greatest desire is that his term may be one of success both to the state and country at large.

In this article I propose to give you and your many readers something of the outline of the water facilities of Boulder.

I have gained my information and statistics from those connected directly with our water system and the purchases of the chain of great lakes from which source our surplus comes. It is now nearly two years since the purchase of this chain of lakes was first considered, as heretofore, our supply had come from Boulder Creek down Boulder Canon.

Our citizens and officials saw in the surface washings from freshets and also in location of mills for treating of ores along the course of the stream a possible menace to the future health of our city, voted to purchase this chain of lakes twenty miles to the west and about 5000 feet above the city, lying at the foot of Arapahoe Peaks and fed by the Arapahoe Glacier.

With these lakes comprising about two hundred and fifty acres of clear cold water above all sources of contamination and brought to this city in steel pipes. It is now completed at a cost of over \$200,000. Boulder now stands unequalled in the possession of a water system unlike that of any other city in the country.

The city is now in a position to safeguard the purity of our water for all time. In the purity test given it at Chicago it was analyzed as 99 and 98-100ths pure.

Our weather is fine. No snow and to-day, (Jan. 15), have been planting garden such as will not be hurt by frosts.

As far as I know our Missouri colony are all enjoying good health and prosperity.

Respectfully,
W. C. CRANDALL.

GIPSY SMITH VISITS ST. LOUIS.

The Renowned English Evangelist to Speak in St. Louis.

The proposed visit of Gipsy Smith, the noted English gipsy evangelist, to St. Louis, where he will conduct a sixteen-day meeting, from January 24th to February 8th, has aroused wide spread interest in that city and vicinity, and his arrival is awaited anxiously by the thousands who desire to see him and to hear him preach.

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While Gipsy Smith, or more properly speaking, Rodney Smith, has paid numerous visits to America during the past twenty years, and has conducted meetings in a number of the large cities, he has never appeared in public in St. Louis. Realizing this fact, as well as the fact that his presence would bring about a great and fruitful religious revival there, a movement was started some months ago among the evangelical churches of the city, the object of which was to bring this famed evangelist into their midst for a series of meetings. A large percentage of the churches were heartily in accord with this movement, and the result is that Gipsy Smith will come to St. Louis and hold meetings daily for sixteen days in the Coliseum.

WHO IS THIS MAN?

Many may ask: "Who is this man and why all this preparation, if he be but a gipsy, as his name implies?" Yes, 'tis true that Rodney Smith (the world knows him as Gipsy Smith) is a gipsy, but a gipsy of an ordinary type. Born in a tent in the parish of Warrington, England; deprived by death of a mother's love and care when but a child of tender years; reared until almost a young man under the influences of a gipsy camp, and by a father who for many years led a wandering life; Gipsy Smith today stands a peer among men.

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Why be a Pessimist?

The pessimist says the world is growing worse; that all of the patriots lived in Washington's time; that the church does not save as many sinners as it did "sixty years ago;" that corruption is on the increase, and that the time is rapidly approaching when honesty, chastity and all the other essentials of right living will be unknown on the earth.

That corruption and vice of all kind are on the increase no one can deny. At the same time it can not be denied that honesty and virtue are on the increase. Corruption and vice have increased for the same reason that honesty and virtue have increased—because it is natural that anything, good or bad, should multiply. Drop a weed seed and the seed of some valuable grass in the bare soil and both will multiply because it is natural that they should. There are more snakes on earth today than there were

5,000 years ago, but there are also more poultry, more hogs and more cattle. Sin, weeds and snakes have increased, but their increase has not outstepped the increase of virtue, grass and cattle.

Don't be a pessimist—don't think that all the patriots lived in Washington's time. Had President Roosevelt lived then and had his secret service agents in good running order, he could have found sensations among the delegates to the constitutional convention that would have made the Tillman land sensations look like a Sunday school picnic in a South Sea Island. Do not think that the church does not save as many sinners as it did sixty years ago. If some of the prominent deacons of sixty years ago were living now, they would be racing with each other to get into a state where the governor would not honor requisition papers. Do not say that corruption is on the increase. If Jacob lived today we fear some progressive newspaper would show him up and an attempt would be made to convict him for illegally obtaining his brother's birthright and for knowingly and surreptitiously planning to separate Laban from his herds and flocks.

The bad in the world may be growing worse, but the good is growing better—is expanding and reaching into channels where it was not known in the "good old days." Why be a pessimist?—*Journal of Agriculture.*

The Globe-Democrat

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BY S. G. SWARTS

Montgomery City, Missouri

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of N. S. Penn, deceased, were granted to the undersigned by the Probate Court of Montgomery County, Mo., at Montgomery City on the 29th day of December, 1908.

All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit the same to the undersigned for allowance within one year after the date of said letters, or they may be precluded from any benefit of said estate; and if said claims be not exhibited within two years from the date of this publication they will be forever barred.

MILTON L. PENN, Executor

of the estate of N. S. Penn, deceased.
Dated this eighth day of January, 1909.
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SETTLEMENT DOCKET

January Term Probate Court, Montgomery County Mo., 1909.
At City of Montgomery.

First Day, Monday, Jan. 18, 1909.

Anderson, J. A. deceased, Henry D. Roley, Admr.

Atterberry, Mary A., John W. Jackson, Exr. Brookshire, Rose and Maudie. (minor) W. L. Mabry, Cur.

Bruce, Mary A. deceased, W. E. Bruce, Admr. Bohn, Emma, minor, Fred Schmidt, Cur. Boergadine, Cecil R., minor, J. E. Mosley Cur. Carrell, May & Rebyrn, W. M. Wheeler, Cur.

Second Day, Tuesday, Jan. 19.

Cahill, Rachel, minor, Thos. H. Farnen, Gdn. Dyson, Joseph, minor, Lucy D. Kidwell, Cur. Dowling, Ellen, minor, John M. Dowling, Cur.

Davis, T. P. minor, Mrs. Ella Davis, Cur. Davis, Admon, Henry Davis, Exr.

Ford, Gretchen W., Maggie Ford, Cur. Gilt, Little E., Jas. E. O'Donnell, Cur.

Third Day, Wednesday, Jan. 20.

Garwood, M. H. deceased, David Lehnen, Admr.

Gibson, Edith L., J. H. Dunham, Cur. Holloway, Wm. H., Geo. Loton & W. D. Holloway, Admr.

Hays, Jeremiah, Mary E. Hays Admr. Hunter, Mary J., P. W. Long, Admr.

Henze, Fredericka, E. P. Rosenberger, Admr. Henry, B. B., Mrs. Bettie Henry, Admr.

WABASH

LOCAL TIME TABLE

West Bound.
Pass. No. 13 Accom. No. 11
St. Louis.....lv. 8:01 a.m. 8:30 p.m.
Jonestown.....arr. 10:34 a.m. 11:28 p.m.
High Hill.....lv. 10:42 a.m. 11:40 p.m.
New Florence.....arr. 10:51 a.m. 11:50 p.m.
Montgomery.....lv. 11:01 a.m. 12:00 p.m.
Wellsville.....arr. 11:15 a.m. 12:05 p.m.
East Bound.
No. 12
Wellsville.....lv. 7:41 p.m. 8:02 a.m.
Montgomery.....arr. 7:54 p.m. 8:15 a.m.
New Florence.....lv. 8:03 p.m. 8:25 a.m.
High Hill.....arr. 8:11 p.m. 8:34 a.m.
Jonestown.....lv. 8:21 p.m. 8:42 a.m.
St. Louis.....arr. 10:50 p.m. 11:45 a.m.
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West Bound.
Leave St. Louis
No. 3.....lv. 9:04 a.m. 11:28 a.m.
No. 9.....lv. 9:29 p.m. 11:50 p.m.
No. 1.....lv. 9:01 p.m. 11:28 p.m.
No. 7.....lv. 10:30 p.m. 1:44 a.m.
No. 3 will stop on signal at Wellsville to discharge passengers from St. Louis and to receive passengers for Kansas City.
No. 9 stops at Wellsville at 4:40
No. 7 will stop at Wellsville to discharge passengers from St. Louis and points east.

East Bound.
Leave Montgomery
No. 4.....lv. 3:44 a.m. 7:00 a.m.
No. 14.....lv. 3:02 a.m. 6:30 p.m.
No. 2.....lv. 3:47 p.m. 7:00 p.m.
No. 20.....lv. 11:53 a.m. 2:15 p.m.
No. 2 will stop at Wellsville to discharge passengers from Kansas City and to receive passengers for St. Louis.
No. 4 will stop on signal at New Florence for St. Louis passengers.

No. 70, way freight, leaves 7 a.m. will carry passengers as far as Ferguson.
No. 73, local freight, will carry passengers to Moberly, leaves at 7:00 a.m.
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No. 64 will carry passengers from Moberly to Montgomery, arrives 5:41 p.m.

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